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NETWORKING EVENT HOSTS SENATOR DIANNA SCHIMEK

WomenLINK promotes women's networking activities

With women representing 51% of the population in Lincoln, that growing community includes a large number of women who are leaders in their cultural communities, in their business worlds, in their faith communities, in their neighborhoods, and in their clubs and organizations.

In keeping with the mission and strategic plan of promoting women's leadership roles within the community, the Lincoln Lancaster Women's Commission (LLWC) has formed a networking opportunity for women of all ages in Lincoln and Lancaster County called WomenLINK.

A WomenLINK networking dinner will be held **Thursday, April 20th at UNL's City Campus Student Union on the 2nd floor in the Heritage Room, room 209.** Check in and a social time will be held from 5 - 6 p.m. with dinner following at 6 p.m. **Special guest and speaker will be Senator DiAnna Schimek.**

WomenLINK is a networking program that brings together young women and established women from all walks of life to create opportunities of leadership, role modeling and education. This is a great opportunity for women to exchange information, resources, support and ideas. WomenLINK also provides an atmosphere of learning about exciting new projects and events, programs from other women's organizations and communities.

Open to the general public, all women are invited to help strengthen the community of women in Lincoln and Lancaster County. **Cost for the dinner is \$12.50 per person with preregistration and payment required prior to the event. The deadline for registration is Friday, April 14.** For more information, call the Lincoln-Lancaster Women's Commission at 441-7716. Registration forms can be mailed upon request, faxed, picked up or downloaded from "www.lincoln.ne.gov/city/mayor/women/forms.htm"

The Lincoln-Lancaster Women's Commission is a City-County agency housed in the Office of the Mayor. LLWC works to assure that the women of Lincoln and Lancaster County have full participation in the issues that have an impact on their lives.